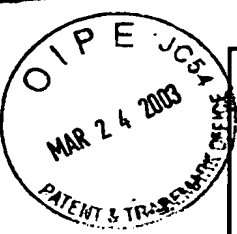


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| Application Number 09/869,709 | Filed July 2, 2001 | |
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